

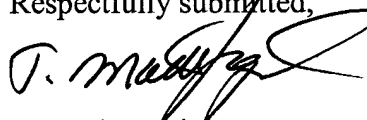
REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Formal drawings prepared by a competent draftsman are included. Applicants request that these drawings be used in place of the figures previously filed with the application on February 9, 2004. No changes have been made to the drawings, no new matter has been added.

CONCLUSION

Entry of this amendment is respectfully urged since it merely cures a formal defect in one of the claims and does not touch the merits.

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